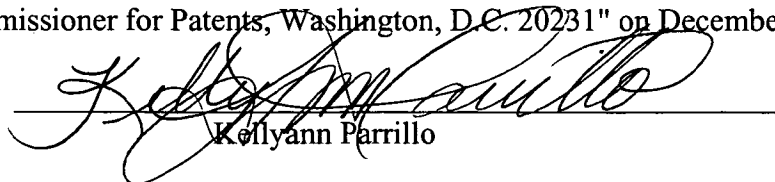




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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

SIR:

Applicant respectfully requests a three-month extension of time for filing a response to the Office Action mailed June 20, 2002, for which a three-month response period ending September 20, 2002 was set. The extended deadline is December 20, 2002.

A check in the amount of Four-Hundred-and-Sixty Dollars (\$460.00) is enclosed herewith in payment of the fee for a three-month extension for a small entity. Small entity status applies to this case.

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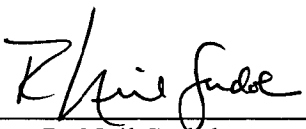
An Amendment is enclosed herewith.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees due in connection with this communication, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 04-0838. A copy of this Request is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Please note that the correspondence address and the telephone number for this application has been changed to the address set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,

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